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### ON TO MALOLOS.

American Army Advancing Upon  
Aguinaldo's Headquarters.

Wheaton Captures Pasig and  
Takes 400 Prisoners With  
Small Loss.

Washington, D. C., Mar. 16.—Maj. Gen. Otis officially reported yesterday the occupation of Pasig and Pateros, on the shore of Laguna Bay, with sufficient force to hold them. Three thousand rebels assembled there Tuesday night and were dislodged after heavy fighting, losing heavily, while 400 were taken prisoners. Wheaton's loss was small. His loss up to that time was reported by Maj. Gen. Otis to be five killed and twenty-eight wounded. Press advices state that Pasig was taken yesterday afternoon, the rebels making a stand with 2,000 men. Maj. Gen. Otis considers this the greatest victory since Feb. 5. The Americans will now press on to Aguinaldo's headquarters at Malolos.

### WORSE AND WORSE.

More Testimony of the Most Dam-  
aging Character About Army  
Beef.

Chicago, March 16.—First Lieut. F. M. Davis, of the First cavalry, told the beef court of inquiry that one-half the canned roast beef issued to the soldiers in Cuba was thrown away because it was unfit to eat and that he himself had opened one can and found maggots in it. The maggots were dead and he said must have been canned with the meat. Surgeon John B. Shaw said that ptomaine poisoning followed from eating the canned meat. A packing-house expert testified that the cattle used for canning are very inferior; that one-third would be condemned in any English market, and that little or no nutriment is left in the meat that goes into the can. To-day the court will resume at Omaha.

### ON THE RAMPAGE.

Todd County People Engage in a  
Street Fight.

Elkton, Ky., March 14.—At 9 o'clock last night on the public streets of this city, a shooting affair took place between four men from the county. Fayette Jones, Will Gray, Chas. Jones and Z. Jones, and the city police. The countrymen were charged with being disorderly, and the officers in attempting to arrest them, were fired upon by the men, who were all heavily armed. The result of the battle was the killing of Fayette Jones, and the serious wounding of Will Gray. The officers escaped unhurt.

Will Gray, Charles and Z. Jones were arrested by the officers, who were congratulated by the citizens on their bravery.

The affair has been the talk of the town to-day, as it was the most sensational occurrence in recent months.

### DOWN IN GEORGIA.

The President Visiting Hanna at  
His Winter Home.

Thomasville, Ga., March 14.—The Presidential party arrived here this afternoon. The party was met at the station by Mel Hanna, brother of the Senator; J. Wyman Hanna's sister; Mayor Hopkins and a number of prominent citizens.

The party which has arrived consists of the President and Mrs. McKinley, vice-President and Mrs. Hobart and Master Hobart, Senator Hanna and Miss Phelps, Dr. J. N. Rixey and Cortelyou, assistant secretary to the President, and B. S. Barbee, one of the executive clerks.

### CIRCUIT COURT.

Commonwealth Matters Occupying  
the Court's Attention.

One Sent to the Pen—Grand Jury  
Finds 57 Indictments and  
Adjourns.

Commonwealth cases were resumed in Circuit Court this week and several have been disposed of.

Roy Boales, col., was convicted of robbery, and given ten years in the penitentiary. Boales is an old offender, who has been a regular boarder in the county workhouse.

Griffin Ross, col., was fined \$100 for aiding a prisoner to escape at Pembroke. Failed to pay and was sent to the workhouse for 100 days.

Jim Hopkins was fined \$20 for gaming.

Four indictments against Jesse Coleman charged with selling liquor without license were reinstated on the docket and dismissed.

Jas. Mabry, gaming, fined \$25. The grand jury adjourned Tuesday evening after returning 34 indictments, making 57 in all.

Among the number were: John Dollins, seduction, and same assault and battery; six for gaming and three for grand larceny were returned against various parties.

### NOT ALARMED.

Insurance Men Think the Appel-  
late Court Will Decide in  
Their Favor.

Lexington, Ky., March 15.—A gentleman connected with the management of the Kentucky and Tennessee Insurance Association says this morning that business men need have no alarm on account of several companies leaving the State. He thinks the Court of Appeals will reverse the cases against the companies. He says the companies feel that the opposition to them does not come from the businessmen in the cities and towns, but from the farmers, who do not understand the nature of fire insurance.

### APPELLATE DECISION.

Private Corporations Held Not  
Liable for Franchise Taxes.

Frankfort, Ky., Mar. 15.—Private corporations will derive much relief from an opinion handed down by the Court of Appeals Tuesday, in which the court held, contrary to a former decision, that private corporations are not subject to franchise taxation and need not make to the State Auditor the reports required of other corporations for the purpose of valuing franchises. The decision was in the case of the Louisville Tobacco Warehouse Company against the Commonwealth, and it completely reverses a previous decision of the court. Judges Guffy, Paynter and White dissent from the opinion of the majority.

### \$5,000 DAMAGES

Awarded in a Suit Against a Hop-  
kinsville Contractor.

Elizabethtown, Ky., March 15.—This morning the jury in the damage suit of E. A. Morgan against J. M. Adams, a contractor residing in Hopkinsville, awarded damages in favor of Morgan in the sum of \$5,000. Morgan was employed by Adams last May as a laborer to work on the L. & N. railway bridge at Nolin, and while at work he was knocked from the bridge by a large piece of timber, which crushed his head.

### Now For Spring.

According to the groundhog, Wednesday was the first day of spring but it lacked a good deal of being a springlike day.

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### THE REVOLUTION

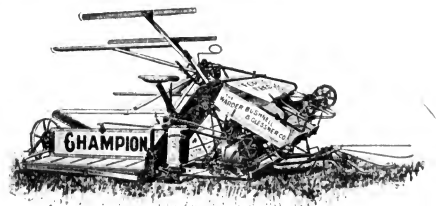
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#### ANDERSON'S WIDOW.

Letter Received From the Widow  
of Geo. K. Anderson.

Mr. R. S. Green sent a paper containing information of the finding of the memorandum book of Geo. K. Anderson, cotton gin, Texas, with the names of the Confederate soldiers buried in this city, to the address given in the book. Wednesday he received a reply from Mrs. Carrie E. Anderson, widow of the veteran, who she says died in 1882. Mrs. Anderson's brother, R. K. Murray, was one of the unknown soldiers buried under the Latham Monument. The book will be sent to Mrs. Anderson.

#### Tough on Egan.

Washington, D. C., Mar. 16.—Testimony before the Beef Court of Inquiry Tuesday developed the fact that there was no thorough inspection of the meat furnished the army. One officer's testimony showed that the Commissary Department relied confidently upon the "responsibility of the packers." It was also stated that Commissary General Egan made purchases of low grade canned roast beef, by telegraph from Washington, without any inspection whatever.

#### DRUMMER NEARLY DROWNED.

A Young Man Whose Home is In  
Princeton, Ky.

A drummer named Edmunds, representing the Overhacker-Gilmore Co., of Louisville, and his companion, a driver, made a narrow escape near Concordia, Monday, 11 crossing a bridge over a swollen creek, the horses attached to the vehicle in which they were riding ran off the bridge into the flooded stream. By heroic efforts Edmunds and the driver managed to save their lives. The rig was lost and the horses drowned. Breckenridge News.

#### JONES BETTER.

The Arkansas Senator Improves,  
but Ex-Gov. Fletcher Is Dying.

Washington, March 15.—Senator Jones, of Arkansas, had a quiet night, and his physicians say he is progressing steadily. Ex-Governor Fletcher, of Missouri, is still in a critical condition, with no change from yesterday.

Mrs. M. E. Foster has moved to Clarksville, where she will open a dressmaking establishment.

# KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

Condition of Crops and Live Stock  
March 1st, 1899.

Reports were received this month from 153 correspondents representing 98 counties.

It may be well to restate in this, the first report of the year, the boundaries of the section into which the State, for the sake of convenience and accuracy, is divided, and the reasons for the separation. The irregular contour of the counties makes it impracticable to divide upon straight lines in any given course. Again, it is advisable to separate the "dark tobacco" district in the west part of the State from the Hurley district of the central and eastern portion. Likewise it is desirable to separate the counties in the eastern and south-eastern portion, where the production of any crop rarely exceeds the home demand and where the percentage of increase or decrease affects in a small measure only the actual production of the State, from the other sections producing a large surplus. To meet all these varied conditions the following divisions appear to us as the best to be devised:

The western section comprises 39 counties west of an irregular line drawn from the eastern boundary of Hardin county on the north to the eastern boundary of Allen on the South, the intervening counties of Laramie, Hart and Barren being placed in the eastern section. The central, or to be more accurate, the north-central section, embraces 40 counties lying east of the above described boundary and north-east of an irregular boundary drawn from the eastern boundary of Lewis county on the north-east of Laramie county in the south-east, the intervening counties of Bath, Montgomery, Clark, Madison, Lincoln, Boyle and Marion being in the central section. The eastern or south-eastern section is composed of the remaining 40 counties lying south-east of the above-described lines.

## Wheat.

The condition of the wheat crop December 1st, the date of the last report, was 94, compared with average years. As set out in that report there was a lengthy interval between the early sown and the late sown wheat due to an unusually wet October, wheat sowing being suspended for the greater portion of the month. The early sown wheat attained a growth that promised to withstand any weather test to which it might be subjected. This promise has been realized, and at this date early wheat is generally reported in excellent condition. Late sown wheat was barely above ground at the advent of winter, and the severe weather it has encountered, both in the early and latter parts of winter, has left it in a condition that may be aptly described as a "blue prospect." Whole fields now appear without a vestige of growth above ground and while a few correspondents venture the opinion that the roots are uninjured, it will take some weeks of warm growing weather to develop the full extent of damage. As a rule there was an ample covering of snow during the extreme cold weather of February, but, falling as it did on the almost solid sheet of ice, the benign effect of the protection was in a measure lost.

Answers to the question "Has wheat suffered from any cause during the winter?" If, so state cause, resulted in replies from 115 correspondents, of which number 97 state that wheat suffered from "freeze," and 18 say it has not been appreciably damaged during the winter.

Heavy rains, particularly in the western section, is another source of no considerable damage.

The condition for the State as a whole, compared with average years, is 80, which is a loss of 14 points since December 1st. For the three preceding years the condition on March 1st was as follows: 1896, 92; 1897, 88; and 1898, 88.

The three sections separately show the following average condition as of this date: Western, 70; central, 85; and eastern, 88.

The percent, of crop of 1898 still in the hands of farmers is estimated at 26. On March 1st, 1898, a similar estimate showed 9 per cent. of the old crop in farmers' hands.

The price of wheat March 1st averages 68c. On March 1st, 1898, the average price was 90c., and on March 1st, 1897, the price was 84c.

## Corn.

Estimate on the percentage of corn crop of 1898 still in farmers' hands give the amount at 42 per cent. On March 1st, 1898 the per cent. of crop of preceding year in hands of farmers was 44.

## Live Stock.

The trying effects of the unusually severe winter on live stock has to some extent been mitigated by the abundance of feed. Still, among young stock and stock unprovided with shelter, the loss has been heavy and the suffering intense. The heaviest loss has been with lambs and young pigs. Some correspondents estimate the loss of lambs at 33 1/2 per cent. of the crop. Recent experience should impress upon farmers the economy of providing amply for stock during the months of bad weather.

The condition of the various classes of live stock averages as follows: Horses, 94; cattle, 90; sheep, 89; and hogs, 90. The conditions March 1st, 1898, were 96, 95, 88 and 91 respectively.

Replies to question "Have you hog cholera?" Show a notable absence of this common disease. 133 correspondents answer in the negative and but 21 in the affirmative.

## Effects of February Cold Wave.

The period from February 6th to 14th will be long remembered as a season of phenomenal low temperature. Remarkably not only for the low temperature recorded, but also for pertinacity with which this temperature was maintained. Covering a period of some ten days' heavy rain above the zero mark. Minima of 10 to 24 and even as low as 29 degrees below zero were reported during this time. In addition to the loss and suffering of live stock already noted the injury to the fruit crop is far reaching. Peaches will not only be a failure this year, but the damage to trees is such that the crops for several years to come will be affected. The same is true of cherries and plums, with the possible exception of sour cherries. Pears, though injured in some extent, still promise a fair yield. Apples have escaped injury save the injury to trees from heavy sleet in some sections.

Of the small fruits raspberries have suffered most and will probably be a failure. It is feared, too, that the injury extends to wild blackberries. Strawberries have escaped injury so far.

LUCAS MOORE,  
Commissioner of Agriculture.

## Telephone System of Sweden.

The Board of Managers of the Swedish State telegraph system has asked for an allowance of \$780,000, to be expended during three years, for the extension of the telephone system in the kingdom. The Government makes about six per cent. net profit on the money thus far advanced for such purposes. Still, the State telegraph and telephone lines are managed just as much for the convenience of the people as for profit. The number of interurban telephone conversations during last year exceeded 2,700,000, and the frequency of the telephone calls necessitates the building of new lines. — Chicago Record.

## A Little Friendly Advice.

In order to preserve the resemblance between himself and George Washington Col. Aguinaldo should lose no time in setting his typewriter at work on that farewell address, for there is no telling what day one of the Oregon boys may "find his range."

John C. Calhoun in his forty-second year, was Vice President of the United States.

The opera house at Pine Bluff, Ark., was destroyed by fire.

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## SYMPHONY CLUB.

Some Testimonials From Press and People.

When I received the printing of the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette, for our benefit, I was most agreeably surprised at its variety and fine quality, which is in thorough keeping with the entertainment given last night. Especially pleasing was the most wonderful voice of Lovie Zendt Purcell, who, in almost baritone notes, retained the liquid sounds of a contralto. The fine quartette and the splendid recitations did much to add to our pleasure and amusement. Master Tommie is indeed a wonder, and the expression and feeling he brings from his violin places him in the front rank of child artists.

Yours Fraternally,

FRANK H. CLARK, K. of R. and S. Myrtle Lodge, No. 4, Knights of Pythias, Detroit, Mich.

The Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette, assisted by Master Tommy Purcell, gave a concert at Whitney Music Hall for the benefit of Myrtle Lodge, K. of P. The voices blend well and moreover there is as much harmony in their appearance as in their song. But the best features were the numbers by Master Tommy Purcell. He is a little midget, with a Lord Fauntleroy appearance, and sings and recites comic songs and stories in a sweet voice from beneath a halo of flaxen curls. He was encored again and again. He also played Hoffman's Berceuse on the violin, and gave evidence of genius more than the average prodigy in the fact that he played with expression. — Detroit (Mich.) Tribune, Sept. 18, 1894.

A few years ago the coming of a good musical company to our city was a great event and always filled the house with a fine audience. Of late musical entertainments have not been so freely patronized here. Why? Simply because the usual programs were too elastic and cold for the average auditor. In the program to be given by the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette on March 27 we have a musical entertainment that is highly enjoyable from first to last. Our readers will do well to remember that it is not often that we are offered such a feast of musical good things as the Schubert's program contains.

## CUBAN CENSUS.

Uncle Sam Will Count the Inhabitants of the Island.

Washington, March 13. — The Administration has decided to take a census of the island of Cuba as complete and careful as that taken in the United States. A census is found necessary to determine who are citizens and qualified electors before an election is held to establish a representative government.

This census will not be taken through or by any organization claiming to be representatives of the Cuban people, but by the authority of the United States Government, assisted by such civil officers as may be necessary to carry on the work.

It may be stated in this connection that the Government of the United States does not and has not recognized any assembly, organization, person or faction in Cuba as authorized to speak for the Cuban people. It has and will continue to deal with individuals and municipalities as it finds them. No government has been recognized and none will be until one has been constituted which is representative of the citizenship of the whole of the island.

The action of the Cuban Assembly has given the Government at Washington no concern whatever. It is known that the \$3,000,000 now on its way to Cuba will be acceptable to the soldiers of the Cuban army. It matters not whether Gomez has been deposed or not, or whether he accepts his deposition. The Government will deal with the individuals of the Cuban army and the money will be paid to the soldiers by United States officers.

Rev. J. N. Edwards, of Richmond, has been called to the pastorate of the Mt. Tabor Baptist church and he has accepted the call.

Martin Van Buren, at thirty-six organized the famous Albany Regency, and was Governor of New York at forty.

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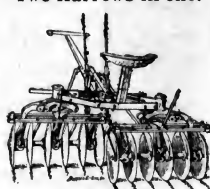
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—FRIDAY MAR 17, 1899.—

A salt trust with a capital of \$12,000,000 is the latest combine.

Emile Erickman, the noted French novelist, is dead in his 77th year.

Judge Walter Evans held his first court in Louisville Tuesday.

The Fayette grand jury has indicted Jack Chinn as a nuisance.

Delaware has only one Senator and he is under indictment for a felony.

To-day is St. Patrick's Day, which usually marks the beginning of spring.

Charlie Bronston seems to have his grand jury at Lexington pretty well trained.

Mr. Bird who failed of election by the Delaware legislature is no doubt a blue bird.

It is said Gen. Joe Wheeler is soon to be married to the widow of the late Geo. W. Childs.

Rhode Island Democrats have nominated a state ticket, headed by G. W. Green for Governor.

Kipling is now well enough to read the poems fired at him during his illness by sympathetic strangers.

Having fought two wars to a finish, Gen. Wheeler is now said to be nursing himself up to marry a widow.

Dr. John Watson, D. D., "Ian MacLaren," will lecture in Nashville to-night and Louisville to-morrow night.

The Bourbon county grand jury has indicted 80 insurance companies at Paris for violating the anti-trust law.

There were responsibilities assumed as well as victories won in the Hopkinsville convention by dodging State issues.

Dr. J. B. Hawthorne has resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist church in Nashville, relinquishing a salary of \$5,000 a year.

Judge W. T. Laflerty defeated the Hon. Claude M. Desha in Harrison county by 300 majority, in the Democratic legislative primary.

Col. Bryan says he expects a Democratic majority of 25,000 in Kentucky this fall. Not only will the votes be cast this time, but they will be counted.

The old Libby Prison building at Chicago is being torn down to make room for a big exposition building. The materials may be used in another building.

Fighting was resumed before Manila Monday and the rebels put to flight and driven back into the interior. Three Americans were killed and 14 wounded.

The Delaware deadlock lasted until the end of the legislative session. Delaware will have to run on one senatorial wheel for the next two years. Perhaps the Democrats may fare better next time.

Write on a piece of paper the number representing your age; multiply by 2; add 3,792; add 4; divide by 2; then subtract the number representing your age, and before your eyes will be something you will never see again.

Gov. Bradley is out of the State and Lieut. Gov. Worthington is acting Governor. He this week fixed April 13 as the day for the execution of Wm. T. Tuttle, the negro wife murderer, at Mayfield. Another case of unlucky thirteen.

The Crown Prince Gustaf, who was appointed to the regency of Norway during the illness of his father, King Oscar, was pelted with snow balls by a mob who attacked him on the streets. The police

## IAN MACLAREN'S LECTURE.

Author-Minister Will Talk About Traits of Scotch Character.

The distinguished Scottish author-minister will lecture at the Auditorium Louisville, on tomorrow night on "Certain Traits of Scotch Character," under the auspices of the Louisville Scotch Society. MacLaren's books have attained a great vogue. His lecture will include readings from "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush" and "Auld Lang Syne."

## Kelly's Clock.

The question is being asked so often, "What is the matter with M. D. Kelly's time on top of his store house?" It has not been running lately. Mr. Kelly wishes to state that after sixteen years of constant use, he concluded to overhaul and put in new shafting, connecting the main clock in his show window with the machinery, or dials, on top of his store; also to make an important improvement in the main clock in his show window, which he is now at work on. It will be the addition of an 18-inch dial, that will plainly show the correct time on his show window. The big clock will be in splendid condition when Mr. Kelly gets through with it, which will be in a few days, and will then commence on another 16 years' run.

## Apple Statistics.

I would say that 452,729 barrels of apples were shipped to Europe from the United States during the last calendar year. No later statistics can be obtained. This was a decided reduction from previous years. In 1896 nearly three times as many—1,137,714 barrels—were exported, and in 1897 881,279 barrels. The most of these apples went to Great Britain.

We ship an enormous quantity of dried apples abroad. The total in 1898 was 30,098,347 pounds, valued at \$1,931,859.—Record.

## A New Program.

Our readers are reminded that Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette given an entire change of program each season, so those who have heard this superior Company before can attend again on March 27 and rest assured of hearing a program that will be new and entertaining. Remember that this is positively this Company's last appearance in this city.

## Petition in Bankruptcy.

Princeton, Ky., Mar. 15.—Joseph Smith, a tobacco merchant of Livingston county, filed a petition in bankruptcy here last night. His assets are \$4,500. Liabilities \$1,500. In the absence of the Federal Judge, the Hon. P. H. Darby granted the petition.

## Dr. Yates Improving.

Dr. T. G. Yates, who has been very ill with peritonitis for three weeks, is now out of danger and gradually improving, though his recovery must necessarily be slow. His friends are glad to know that he is on the road to recovery.

Intimate friends of Senator Wm. Lindsay say he is not a candidate to succeed himself, and that in all probability he will not be a citizen of Kentucky after the expiration of his term, March 3, 1900. It is said he is already in receipt of flattering offers, which, if accepted, will make New York his home after his Senatorial career close.

Hon. John Sherman is down with pneumonia at St. Pierre, Martinique, where he went with an excursion party touring the West Indies.

The Spanish Cabinet has ordered the immediate ratification of the peace treaty with the United States.

Howards of Ointments for Catarrh that Cures Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the secure of soul and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

## DEMPSEY'S SPEECH.

In Accepting the Democratic Nomination For Railroad Commissioner.

Mr. Dempsey said in part: "Gentlemen of the convention, to you and to the noble constituency whom you represent here, with uncovered head, I return my warm, heartfelt thanks."

"Three years and ten months ago representatives of the Democracy of this Railroad Commission district assembled in the beautiful and hospitable city of Owensboro for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Railroad Commissioner. That convention was remarkable and historical. After a protracted, weary and bitter struggle, amid storm and confusion, a platform was adopted demanding the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation. I had the distinguished honor to receive the nomination and to be placed upon that platform. The next year the Democrats of the Second Congressional district did me the honor to send me as a delegate to the National Democratic Convention, which assembled in Chicago."

"It was my happy privilege to have a vote and to cast that vote for the Chicago platform, the greatest declaration of the grandest principles ever promulgated by any political convention that ever assembled on earth. It was also my privilege and high pleasure to cast my vote for that standard bearer of the Democracy of the United States, for that Christian gentleman, pure in heart as when a babe in his mother's arms, true to his convictions as the magnet to the pole, morally brave as a martyred saint, physically courageous as a lion, imbued with a divine love for the great, suffering, toiling masses of the people, and by an all-wise God endowed with superhuman intelligence, William J. Bryan."

"Since his sun set in 1896 only to rise again with redoubled brilliancy and power in 1900, I have had the pleasure of introducing this most remarkable genius and grandest character of modern times to an audience of 20,000 souls assembled in the bosom of the little city where I was born and reared."

"Again, at the hands of the noble Democracy of the thirty-nine counties comprising the First Railroad Commission district, and this time by acclamation, I have been nominated for the office of Railroad Commissioner. To have received this nomination once, from so noble and lofty a people, is an honor of which any man living should be proud. I have received it twice and this fills the meed of my ambition. My friends, I know not how to thank you. My heart is filled to overflowing with gratitude but I cannot command language that would fully express my feelings. The nomination you have given me assures my election. I will carry your banner to victory, and then will endeavor to discharge the duties I will owe to you and the whole people of the entire State with such fidelity and with such absolute fairness, impartiality and justice alike to the people and to the railroad companies, that my record will attest my gratitude. Once more, gentlemen, I thank you."

## New State Bank Formed.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State by the Bank of Dawson Springs. The new institution, which is to begin business on April 15 next, has a capital stock of \$15,000. The chief stockholders are B. R. Kuykendall, of Dawson Springs; W. C. Johnson, H. Buchanan and J. C. Cheek, all of Hickman, and J. Edw. Mossbarger, of Louisville.

## Resigned From the Board.

Princeton, Ky., March 15.—Dr. S. M. Hamilton, D. D., of Louisville, has resigned the presidency of the Board of Trustees of the Princeton Collegiate Institute, and the Hon. P. H. Darby, of this city, has been elected in his stead.

## Council To-Night.

The deferred meeting of the City Council has been called to meet to-night. Owing to the absence of two members and the illness of the Mayor, the regular March meeting was not held the first Friday in the

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## WILL PROBATED.

Bequest of the Late Miss Susan J. Bryan.

The will of the late Miss S. J. Bryan was probated yesterday. To her sister, Harriet M. Hopper, she left her interest in the building on the corner of 6th and Main streets and all her personal property. To her nephew, Harrison Hopper, she bequeathed 16½ acres of land, a lot on Virginia street and two lots on Sixth street. The will was made June 6th, 1891. W. L. Hopper was appointed by the court administrator of the estate, with H. M. Hopper as surety.

## National Editorial Association.

The next meeting of the National Editorial Association will be held Portland, Oregon, July 5th, 6th and 7th. The association will rendezvous at Chicago, June 29th. It will take four days to make the trip from Chicago to Portland. Delegates appointed by the Kentucky Press Association who wish to attend should send in their names to the National Editorial Committee of this State at once. Address George S. Rosser, Committeeman, Maysville, Ky.

## Cabin Destroyed.

A cabin on Mr. R. S. McGehee's lot in Pembroke, was destroyed by fire Wednesday. The house was occupied by Mr. McGehee's cook. It is not known how the fire originated. The loss is about \$100. There

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# GLACIERS IN MONTANA.

Not Necessary to Go to Alaska to See Moving Ice Masses.

For some years I have been interested, says a writer in Science, in the geography of a small section of the Rocky mountains, which, until recently, was part of the Blackfoot reservation in northwestern Montana. This section lies for the most part east of the continental divide and between the international boundary on the north and the Great Northern railroad on the south. The portion of it which I know best is included in the watershed of the St. Mary's river and its tributaries. In 1891 I took to the head of the St. Mary's river the first party that had ever visited it, so far as known, and in 1895 accompanied to the same point the government commission which afterward purchased from the Blackfoot Indians the rough mountain land which formed the western portion of the reservation of that tribe. Before that I had made a sketch map of the region, which is the basis of all the interest it that have been made or published.

In 1897 I made a hasty trip to the head of the river and climbed Mount Jackson, the highest peak in that region. Last July (1898) I again went to the head of the river and climbed the Blackfoot mountain, another lofty peak, somewhat less accessible than Mount Jackson. On both trips I was accompanied by my friend, J. B. Monroe.

These last trips have enabled me definitely to locate two points about whose relations I have never until now been quite certain. One is the Pumpelly glacier, discovered by Prof. Raphael Pumpelly, who I believe in 1883, with a small party which included the late W. A. Stiles, crossed from the Flathead country to the plains by way of the Marias, or, as it is now called, the Cut Bank pass. This great mass of ice, which is seen by every traveler going through the Cut Bank pass, rises to the height of several hundred feet above the face of a lofty cliff, over which portions of the glacier are constantly falling with tremendous reports, which are heard for a long distance.

From the top of the Blackfoot mountain the whole country leading up to the Cut Bank pass can be seen, and immediately below it to the southeast lies the Pumpelly glacier, readily identified, not only by its position with relation to the valley, but also by the peaks and rocks in its neighborhood. It thus appears that the Pumpelly glacier, as I have long supposed was the case, is part of the southern flow of the great ice-cap which covers almost the whole of the Blackfoot mountain. The Blackfoot glacier, which stretches away in a northerly direction from the peak of the Blackfoot mountain, though perhaps varying in extent somewhat with the season, was estimated last July to be six or seven miles long, and in some places between three and four miles wide. From the peak of the Blackfoot mountain the ice field flows also in a northerly direction, meeting another which runs down between Mount Kaimah and Mount Jackson, while from Mount Jackson a number of smaller glaciers flow down to timber line.

A little to the west of south of the Blackfoot mountains, and lying in a great head of Mind creek—tributary to the Flathead—which entirely cuts it off from the main range, is Mount James, one of the three highest peaks in this immediate section. Seen from the east, it is shaped like the square-faced, peaked end of a haystack, and at a distance appears difficult or impossible of ascent. Its southern and western faces may be more practically than those on the north and east appear. From the top of the Blackfoot mountain the level shows Mount Jackson to be the highest of all these mountains. Mount James, the next, while Blackfoot is the third. But the differences in height are slight.

A low ridge in the northwest of Mount Jackson and lying on the west side of the range is a little basin named Avalanche basin by L. B. Sperry, of Oleron, O., and on the mountain overlooking this, Mr. Sperry tells us, are extensive snowfields and a glacier. From the summit of this avalanche basin it appears that this avalanche basin lies nearly south of Mount James, and southwest of Mount Reynolds. I understand that Mr. Sperry, who was, of course, unaware that the mountain had been earlier named, has called Mount Reynolds Matterhorn, from the resemblance of its rocky form to its peak. Mount Reynolds is in the continental divide, although most of the recent maps wrongly place it east of the divide.

If the locations of the Pumpelly glacier and of Avalanche basin, with regard to definite and well-known points in the continental divide, are thus established, the matter of some interest to students of this section of the northern Rocky mountains, since hitherto, so far as I am aware, the relations of the east and

known between the head of Belly river and Cut Bank pass.

Lying nearly to the south of Mount Jackson and between it and the Blackfoot mountain is a deep basin, which is the head of Harrison creek, flowing down toward the Flathead lake. This basin, which I have called Pinchot's basin, is occupied by a large glacier, which is fed by many smaller ones flowing down the steep sides of Mounts Jackson, Kaimah and Blackfoot. What the extent of this glacier may be I do not know, but lying in this deep basin and almost completely surrounded by high mountains, the area of the moving ice must be considerable.

## A MUSICAL PRODIGY.

Small Boy of Six Who Does Wonders on the Piano.

There is a remarkable boy pianist in Trenton, N. J. He is Charles O. Chapman, six years old, who can play all kinds of music on the piano by note, reading the music fluently, although not able to read anything else or write.

His precociousness was discovered when he was about three years old, by his ability to repeat tunes heard on the streets played on the hand organs. These he would thump out with one hand on the piano with a piece of bread and butter in the other. He was repeatedly driven away from the piano, because he invariably left a part of his lunch on the keys. It was impossible for him to keep away from either bread and butter or from the piano.

It was found that he had an ear for music, and a mind to assimilate it. Everything he heard he could repeat and remember. He was taught to use both hands, and encouraged to stay at the instrument. He has continued to pick up the popular airs until he has become a miniature musical library.

On his fifth birthday it was decided that he should be given music lessons, and a local teacher was secured for him. In very short time he was able to read notes, and after a few efforts, to play difficult pieces. He has been known to master a dozen pieces of music in a month, and now he can read music at sight.

His memory is another remarkable thing about his musical character. He can play a piece from the music and then be handed and repeat it without an error. His finger performance is interesting, because he is fat and chubby and his fingers short. It is some effort for him to reach an octave. He manages it after his own fashion, and does it well.

He is the son of John A. Chapman, a printer. It is not a musical family, and there is no one connected with it who has any pronounced ability.

The boy cannot read nor write, but is desirous to learn; but his interests in music overshadow his other desires.—Philadelphia Press.

## CANNIBAL BIRDS.

Parrakeets Bite Off the Legs of Pet Canaries.

One fine day a batch of tiny parakeets from a neighboring island arrived, and I congratulated myself on having at last acquired some amiable members of my bird community. Such gentle creatures were never seen, their pale green plumage and the little gray-bellied legs which, as I explained their name of "cannibals," they made themselves quite happy in one of the many domes or cupolas of the Arab cage. In a few days, however, a mysterious ailment broke out among all the other birds. Nearly every other bird seemed suddenly to be going about on one leg. At last it dawned on me that many of the canaries had actually only one leg. An hour's careful watching showed me a parakeet sitting up to a canary, and, after feigning to be deeply absorbed in its own toilet, preening each leg with feather most carefully, the little wretch would give a sudden swift nip at the slender leg of its neighbor, and absolutely bite it off then and there. Of course I immediately turned the cupachins out of the cage with much obloquy, but too late to save several of my poor little pets from a one-legged existence.—Cornhill Magazine.

## Concert.

Concert is more a matter of brains than of physical strength. There are few men who think that they can go into a ring and whip Fitzsimmons, but men with brains as weak as their strength would have to be in a match with a pugilist, think they are fully capable of starting a bank, and doing up an opposition that has been running for years, and that is managed by men of experience, judgment and long training. Men will not bank on their strength, but every man thinks that he is as good as the best.—Aitchison Globe.

## She Knew It Well.

"Say, Mabel, what's a soda water?" asked a mite of a girl of an older sister, who was still wearing very short dresses. "Aw, it's a kind of fluffy, sizzy, soapy-dippy something that you drink, and that tastes like your foot's asleep," explained Mabel.—Minnesota

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## COCONUT CULTURE.

A Farm Five Miles Long and Half a Mile Deep.

A coconut grove five miles long and half a mile deep might be called a fairly good-sized experiment in agriculture. That is the size of Mr. T. Hunter's plantation in British Honduras. Mr. Hunter himself is spending a few days at the St. Charles, and in conversation with a Times-Democrat reporter gave some interesting details of coconut culture.

"The trees are grown direct from the nut," he said, "the first step in establishing a grove is planting. Then follows a wait of seven years, something that absolutely bars a poor man from the business. A grove properly planted should contain about 80 trees to the acre, set at intervals of 25 feet. The soil line is the best place for the coconuts for the reason that it thrives in a loose, sandy soil, and when I started 18 years ago I acquired a strip directly facing the beach. I have now about five miles under cultivation, and the grove stretches back for upward of half a mile. Viewed from the sea, the long line of waving fronds presents a beautiful and singular picture. It is the largest single grove in the world.

"During its seven years of growth before arriving at maturity," continued Mr. Hunter, "the tree requires but little care. The main thing is to keep the surrounding ground free from underbrush. We pay no attention to weeds, for they have been found to be really a benefit to the grove, but the underbrush must be cleared several times a year. When the trees begin to bear they are very prolific almost from the onset. A fine specimen will yield as many as 250 nuts in the year, and the average will be close to 200. As far as I have been able to learn, this is far in advance of the yield anywhere else. In other sections of Central America 60 is considered a very fair average, but the soil of British Honduras seems to be particularly adapted to the culture and to produce a larger and more vigorous tree than is to be found elsewhere.

"There is no particular season for bearing, but a grove, or 'cocalo,' as they are called, will yield a harvest all the year around after it once reaches maturity. Here a long a good tree will continue to bear in a disputed question, and the period is so extended that no accurate data exists. I know of well-authenticated cases where nuts have been picked from certain trees for 70 years, and they seem as vigorous and prolific as ever. While the crop is really an important one, it is usually largest in the first season—that is to say, between October and January, and it is then that the principal shipments are made. With a good-sized coocalo, however, there is always a cargo at hand.

"The picking is done by natives, who live in huts at intervals along the grove. The nuts are then taken to the warehouse, where they are hulled, sorted and stored. We get from eight to ten dollars a thousand, and at the present price of labor there is scarcely any profit. The labor question, in fact, is the great drawback to coconut culture in the colony. The population is only 30,000 all told, and it is next to impossible to secure a sufficient number of hands to care for a coocalo of large dimensions. In that genial climate it is so easy for a lazy man to live that money has practically no value to him. Nature furnishes all the necessities of life, and he can simply lie down in his hammock and doze three days away without a shadow of care. Not one-one-hundredth part of the land is under cultivation, and with energetic labor and modern methods the initial cost could be enormously reduced, so as to make the business very profitable. Central America is undoubtedly the garden spot of the earth, and its development is only a question of good government. As soon as that is secured it is bound to throng with emigrants."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

## NEVER HEARD OF AGAIN.

Mysterious Disappearance of Deep-Water Sailing Ships.

The frequency with which deep-water sailing ships have left for the far east, particularly from Philadelphia, and have never been heard of again, has become alarming to such an extent that the British board of trade, having control over such things, so far as British ships are concerned, is being importuned to institute hereafter a most searching investigation into these mysterious disappearances, with a view to determining if they are not possibly due to their being insufficiently ballasted when carrying out cargoes of coal.

During the last few years the sacrifice of life, due alone to ships leaving this port for the far east and never afterward being heard from, has been abnormal. Two such cases have recently occurred. On May 3, 1897, the British bark *Craighead* left here for Hogo, Japan, laden with coal, and having a crew of 32 men. She has not been heard from since. Last March the British bark *David Morgan* left here for Nagasaki, and has mysteriously disappeared with her entire crew of 19 men.—Philadelphia

## NO ELECTION.

Delaware Legislature Fails to Select a Successor to George Gray.

Dover, Del., March 13.—The General Assembly adjourned at 3:30 p. m., without electing a United States Senator. The election of a senator now goes over until 1901 unless a special session of the Legislature is called for the purpose of an election.

Intense excitement attended the meeting of the Delaware Legislature on this the last day of the session, and the last opportunity to elect a United States Senator to succeed Hon. George Gray. During the morning there was much interest over a combination between Democrats and Regular Republicans to elect Levi C. Bird, of Wilmington, Regular Republican. The Democrats were afraid, however, that any attempt on their part to interfere in the Republican factional fight might induce some Democrats to vote for J. Edward Addicks and thus secure his election.

Admiral Sampson has written for the April Century an illustrated article fully describing the work of "The Atlantic Fleet in the Spanish War," and drawing its lessons. The more important features of this paper are a plan setting forth the character of the blockade of Santiago Harbor; maps showing the relative positions from day to day of Cervera, Schley, and Sampson; and a series of bird's-eye plans of the engagement of July 3, showing the positions of the vessels at different stages of the fight. In a foot-note the Admiral tells this good story:

"As we passed the Teresa and Oquendo, a Spanish sailor was seen struggling in the water on the seaward side of the New York. In response to his calls for help, one of the crew seized the chaplain's reading-desk, which was stowed on the main deck in the passage between the two cabins, and which had a cross above it. As he did so, he cried out grimly, 'Cling to the cross and you'll be saved!' The Spaniard followed instructions, and was saved."

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## THIS AND THAT.

It is supposed that the average depth of sand in the deserts of Africa is from 30 to 40 feet.

Twenty tax bills in Boston for 1898 bring into the city treasury \$1,367,633.36, or nearly ten per cent of the whole tax levy.

A physician calculates that it takes eight times the strength to go upstairs that is required for the same distance on the level.

There are 34 centenarians in Europe, of whom 23 are women. Statistics show that for every two male centenarians living during the last ten years there have always been three females over 100 years of age.

The latest bulletin of the treasury bureau of statistics shows that we consume about one-half of all the coffee that is raised in the world, or nearly twice as much as does all Europe, with about five times our population.

Trachoma, or "granular lids," is widely spread among the 8,000,000 inhabitants of Hungary, no fewer than 4 in 1,000 being afflicted with the disease. It spreads by contagion, and neglect of it makes a patient liable to fine or imprisonment.

There are some curious superstitions concerning waves. The Arab sailor believes that the high seas off the coast of Abyssinia are enchanted, and whenever they find themselves among them they recite verses which they suppose have a tendency to subdue them.

The longest bridge across the Danube is 1,900 feet in length. Waterloo bridge, over the Thames, is 1,380 feet. Westminster bridge, over the Thames, is 1,160 feet, the Saratov bridge, across the Volga, 4,872 feet, and the Freiburg, in Switzerland, 1,005 feet.

The great passion of the inhabitants of the Philippines is cock-fighting. "What the race horse is to the Englishman, and the bull to the Spaniard, the cock is to the Malayan. A man who is the proprietor of a good fighting-cock is as proud of it as he is of his wife and child, and not infrequently quite as anxious concerning

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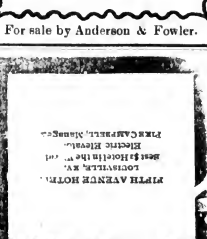
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Man that is married to woman is for many days and full of trouble. In the morning he draweth his salary, and in the evening behold it is gone. It is a tale that is told. It vanishes and no one knows whether it goeth.

He riseth up, clothed in the chilly garments of the night, and seeketh the somnambulant paragon where with to soothe his infant posterity. He cometh home as the horse or the ox, and draweth the chariot of his offspring. He spendeth his shekels in purchase of fine linen to cover the bosom of his family, yet himself is seen at the gate of the city with one suspender.

Yes, he is altogether wretched.—Rob't J. Burdette.

London's Drink.

Londouers consume 275,000,000 gallons of water a year, according to the Home Magazine; they do not drink all of it, and what they do drink is not always taken clear, as they use 26,000,000 pounds of tea as well. They do put down 153,000,000 gallons of beer, however, as well as 4,400,000 gallons of spirits, besides 50,000,000 gallons of mineral waters.

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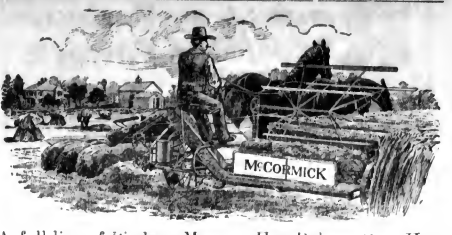
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Interesting Items Tensely Told For Busy Readers.

Deaths, Weddings and Burglaries In And About The city

—Other News.

## PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. T. M. Jones has returned from New York.

Mrs. John Gilmore, of Owensboro, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Harrison have been at Dawson this week.

Mrs. S. L. Bowling has returned from a visit to Clarksville relatives.

Mr. M. L. Elb has returned from the East, where he went to buy goods.

Miss Mattie Broadbudd, of Bell, is visiting Mrs. L. J. Broadbudd, on Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Wyly have taken board at Mr. Phil Gaither's, on Walnut Street.

Miss Carrie Salter returned to her home in Henderson yesterday, after a visit to her mother, who has been quite sick.

Mrs. W. E. Pasmore, of Breckenridge, Colorado, will arrive tomorrow on a visit to her brother, Mr. Jas. A. Radford.

Thomas H. Ennis, of Hopkinsville, is visiting his sister Mrs. J. G. Duncan on Lower Main street—Henderson Gleaner.

Mr. Miles Boyd has resigned his position with Anderson & Fowler and accepted a similar place with L. L. Elgin.

Mrs. G. M. Rust and daughter, Miss Willie, are in Clinton, having been summoned to the bedside of Mrs. Rust's son-in-law, Mr. W. R. Moss, who is quite ill.

Miss Mamie Sasseen, of Henderson, who has been visiting here since the convention, is a candidate for Superintendent of school and will make an active canvass for the nomination. She is well qualified for the place.

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Of the latest Novelties in  
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At Moayon's.

## THE X RAYS.

Dr. Blakey Again Shows how They Work.

Dr. T. W. Blakey gave another exhibition of his new X-ray machine Wednesday evening at his office. An interested party of gentlemen witnessed a number of tests of a most wonderful nature.

## Universalist Church.

Rev. Arthur Roberts, pastor, Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning: "The Christian Trial." Evening: "How Endless Punishment became the doctrine of the Christian church." Wednesday: Prayer and conference meeting at 7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited.

## John Winfree Sick.

Mr. John Winfree is having serious trouble with a wisdom tooth and is threatened with lockjaw. He is in bed and quite sick.

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## OF OLD AGE.

Mrs. Mary A. Gooch Dies at Her Home Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary A. Gooch, an aged and highly esteemed lady, who lived on east Ninth street, died at her home Tuesday night, aged 76 years. She had been a resident of this city all her life and was a consistent member of the Methodist church. She was the mother of Mrs. E. M. Gooch and Mrs. Alfred Bradley, of this city. Funeral services were held at her late residence yesterday morning and the interment took place in Hopewell Cemetery.

## AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Keach Succumbs to Consumption at Her Home Here.

The wife of Mr. H. A. Keach died at her home on West Eighteenth street Wednesday afternoon, of consumption. She had been sick for a long time and her death was not unexpected to her large circle of friends. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Funeral services will be held at the residence this morning and the interment will take place in Hopewell cemetery.

## HAMMOND-HARRIS.

Popular Couple Harry, Near Oak Grove Wednesday Afternoon.

Mr. A. S. Hammond and Miss Sarah G. Harris were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride, near Oak Grove, this County. Rev. Murry, a Baptist minister of New Providence, Tenn., performed the ceremony.

## GROCERY BURGLARIZED.

Thieves Crowd Through Transom and Get Cash and Goods.

Mr. J. A. Kinkaid's grocery, near the L. & N. depot, was entered by burglars Monday night and the small change left in the cash drawer at closing time, together with about \$20 worth of goods, were carried off. Thieves gained entrance by crawling through the transom over the rear door. They left no clue.

## Death of an Infant.

An infant of Mr. Hancock, of St. Bethlehem, Tenn., died Wednesday, at the home of Mr. Jack Torian, near Gracely, of spinal trouble. Its mother died just six weeks ago, and since her death the baby had been living with Mr. Torian's family.

## Appraising the Stock.

Messrs. Jas. M. Howe and W. H. Olive have been appointed appraisers of the assigned jewelry stock of Graves & Condy, and they are now at work.

## FORMER CROFTON CITIZEN.

Attacked With Meningitis and Death Results in Five Days.

Jack Long, formerly of Crofton, died in Earlington Tuesday of spinal meningitis, after an illness of five days, aged 34 years. He had been in the employ of the L. & N. for six years, and was a valued employee of the company. He leaves a wife and one child. Deceased was a brother-in-law of Dr. J. B. Jackson, of this city, and a son of Mr. Thos. Long, of Crofton. He was a member of the Hopkins Lodge A. O. U. W. at Earlington, and about twenty members accompanied him to their last resting place. The interment took place at the family burying ground, near Crofton, Wednesday afternoon. Services were held at the grave by Rev. L. H. Teele, of Earlington.

## CONSUMPTION THE CAUSE.

Young Man Bedridden For Years Relieved By Death.

Mr. Allen McIntosh, son of the late Daniel McIntosh, died at his home a few miles west of Crofton Tuesday, aged 35 years. Some years ago his lower limbs became partially paralyzed, and since that time he had been confined to his bed the greater portion of the time. A few months ago consumption developed, resulting in his death as above stated. The remains were buried at Castleberry church Wednesday afternoon.

## DEATH AT DAWSON.

Mrs. Menser Passes Away After a Long Illness.

Mrs. Jemima Menser died at Dawson Monday, after an illness of several months, of dropsy. She was 65 years old and leaves eight children. She has numerous relatives and friends in Christian county, who will learn with sorrow of the demise of this good woman.

## DEATHS NEAR GUTHRIE.

Spinal Meningitis Causing Some Alarm In That Neighborhood.

Another child of Mr. W. J. Sanders, of near Guthrie, died of spinal meningitis Tuesday. A week before Mr. Sanders lost his little son, who was sick only one day. Monday evening another one of his children was stricken with the same disease and died in a few hours.

## HILL-WELLS.

Muhlenberg Farmer and Christian County Lady Wed.

Mr. W. D. Hill, of Muhlenberg county, and Miss Iva G. Wells, of Northeast Christian, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon. The event occurred at the home of the bride and Rev. Cecil Hardison, of the Methodist church, performed the ceremony.

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## Overseers Appointed.

The following road overseers were appointed this week:

A. E. Mullen for Old Greenville road from White Plains to the Crofton and Kirkmansville road. Jeff Liggett for the Madisonville road from Knight's still house to the Hopkins county line and E. R. Perkins for the Barker's mill and Bowman's mill roads.

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The general complaint now among intelligent women is that they are hurried and driven and fretted almost out of their senses by their demands upon their time and strength.

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In the cure of nervous diseases this remedy has again and again demonstrated its power to combat these tenacious ailments.

It is to general poor health that we are to look for the cause of headaches, rheumatism and neuralgia, and to overcome these troubles it is the general health that must be raised. Sick headaches that recur so periodically with most women and are so grievous an affliction should be treated as due to lower nervous tone, and a thorough invigoration of the body should be undertaken with Paine's celery compound.

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